

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Hadden, et al.

Group Art Unit: 1644

Serial No. 10/500,602

Examiner: JUEDES, Amy E.

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For: ADJUVANT FORMULATIONS FOR BACTERIAL AND VIRUS VACCINES AND  
METHOD OF MAKING SAME

Attorney Docket No: 3115.00066

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 29, 2011, part of Paper No./Mail Date 20101229. Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Granting the petition would extend the time for filing the Response to February 29, 2012. The appropriate petition fee of \$635 is hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account 11-1449. Please amend the application as indicated below, consistent with the instructions found attached hereto: